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SATURDAY, February, 10, 1798.

Allegheny County, ſs.

A liſt of cauſes ſet down for trial at March Term, 1798.

Js. Armſtrong for &c.	vs	David Duncan
Lapeſit M'Farlane	vs	Wm. Long
Simon Small	vs	Wm. Brady's adm.
Samuel Roſs	vs	John M'Kee and George Rough
Aſſee of A. Robinſon	vs	Wm. Marks
Leſſee of J. Galbraith	vs	Thomas M'Kee
Henry Wolf	vs	Alex. Snodgraſs
John Metzgar	vs	George Beltzhover & John Beltzhover
Mary Palmer	vs	Sarah Davis
Robert Colhoon	vs	Joſeph Ludlow
James Rogers	vs	Jacob Bennet
Thomas Smith	vs	John Bever
Leſſee of Sam. Ewalt	vs	Martha Hilands
Leſſee of J. Patterſon	vs	Wm. M'Clure
Henry Ulery	vs	James M'Kee
Samuel Stoops	vs	John Meaſon
Andrew Reyburn	vs	Anthony Rollins
Richard Murray	vs	Dudley Hampton
Same	vs	Robert Hampton
Henry Miller	vs	Andrew Irwin
John Sweany	vs	Adam Funk
Mary Reed	vs	Thomas Crawford
Same	vs	Rt. Cook & wife
Patrick O'Loan	vs	Edward Quin
David Irwin	vs	James Fleming
John Gilleland	vs	Benjn. Lovejoy
Alexander M'Nickle	vs	A. Willock
Leſſee of David Mead	vs	Fred. Haymaker
Andrew Simſon	vs	Charles Weſſel
Samuel Boyd	vs	Nath. Points
James Frue	vs	M. Belzhover
Wm. Rankin	vs	A. Kirkpatrick
John Probſt	vs	James M'Nulty
Henry Miller	vs	David M'Nair
Felix Welſh	vs	John Huſton
Samuel Tate	vs	John M'Farlane
Leſſee of S. Menough	vs	Wm. Stewart
John Perry	vs	Samuel Boyd
Melchor Beltzhover	vs	James Frue
George Morgan	vs	Lot Howel
Wm. Stewart	vs	James M'Nulty
James Amberſon	vs	Abdel M'Clure
John Gilbert Petit	vs	Randal Wilſon
Samuel Rippey	vs	Hans Morriſon
Joſiah Tannehill	vs	John Orin
Michael Smith	vs	Henry Nyman
Richard Murray	vs	R. Brotherton
Peter Horbagh	vs	Patrick Black
Moſes Ford	vs	Richard Murray
Wm. Earl	vs	Joſiah Tannehill
Rob. Brotherton & Co.	vs	Geo. Stephenſon
Holker & Co.	vs	J. Tannehill & al
Leſſee of M. Huffnagle	vs	John H. Long
Leſſee of John Craig	vs	Chas. Sype, jun
Leſſee of James O'Hara	vs	John Ferry
Leſſee of T. R. Kennedy	vs	Hugh Lecky
Charles Bonar	vs	John Meaſon
Joſeph Patterſon	vs	Edward Jackſon
Cook & Denniſton	vs	John L. Taylor
Wm. Earles	vs	John Irwin
George Shiras	vs	Wm. Turnbull
Richard Murray	vs	Nich. Herbemont
Joſeph Engleman	vs	M. Beltzhover & b. of C. Shank
John Spears for &c.	vs	James Anderſon
John M'Gonnigle	vs	John Carver
Leſſee of David Mead	vs	F. Haymaker & Luke Stephens
A. Kirkpatrick for &c.	vs	Ephraim Jones
Caſper Heſſhman for &c.	vs	T. B. Patterſon
R. Mitchell for &c.	vs	Wm. Wilſon's Executors
Joſeph Carſons Exrs.	vs	Wm. Wuſthoff
Thomas Smith	vs	John Arthurs
Nathaniel Fell	vs	Wm. Graham
Peter Mowry	vs	M. M'Donaugh
Samuel Wilſon	vs	James Wilſom
J. & Jos. Swan	vs	J. G. Heron
Joſeph Cook	vs	George Baird
William Petterſon	vs	Thomas Sands
Ephraim Blaine.	vs	Wm. Wilſon's Executors.
William Jones	vs	John Davis
Leſſee of Thos. Couſins	vs	John O'hara
Nathaniel Carey	vs	Robert Reed
James Wall	vs	Sarah Craig
Chriſtian Beck	vs	Dvrx. Smith eſq.
John a Negro man	vs	Benoni Dawſon
Chriſtopher a negro	vs	Same.
Joſeph a negro	vs	Same
Smith a negro prochein.	vs	Same
Dolly a negro	vs	Same
Lucy a negro	vs	Same
Chriſtian Beck	vs	Dvrx. Smith eſq.
J. Miller jun. & Co.	vs	Adam Funk
Leſſee of R. Taylor	vs	John Huey
Joſeph Stanford	vs	Edw. Hale &al.
John M'Kee	vs	A. Burchfield & John Sherer
John Walls for &c.	vs	Joſeph Engleman
David Wallace	vs	Ja. Beltzhoover
Iſaac Meaſon	vs	John Perry

AUCTION.

WILL be offered for Sale by Public Auction during March Term next, in Pittſburgh, that valuable and commodious Stone HOUSE and LOT, ſituate in Second ſtreet, adjoining Gen. Gibſon, the property of John Holker, Eſq The Houſe is well calculated for public buſineſs in any department. One half the purchaſe money will be required at the time of ſale, the payment of the balance made eaſy for the purchaſer. Immediate poſſeſſion may be obtained.

STEEL SEMPLE,
for John Holker, Eſq.

Pittſburgh, January 24, 1798

FOR SALE,

THAT valuable patented Tract of Land, ſituate at the mouth of Pine creek, and extending along the eaſtern bank of the Allegheny river nearly one mile, containing 540 acres, with allowance. This tract affords ſome good meadow ground, and excellent upland. There is a choice mill ſeat upon the creek, and abundance of ſaw timber, eſpecially white pine, very convenient. For terms enquire of STEEL SEMPLE, Eſq Pittſburgh.

January 23, 1798.

FOR SALE,

ONE hundred and ſeventy eight acres of firſt rate land, ſituate on the waters of the Sawmill run in St. Clair townſhip, Allegheny county, five miles from Pittſburgh, forty acres cleared, ſix acres of meadow, and thirty more may be made. There is on the premiſes a commodious dwelling houſe and barn, and a good mill ſeat. The terms will be made eaſy. Thoſe who wiſh to view the land may apply to the ſubſcriber on the premiſes.

JOHN ROWLAND.

January 24, 1798.

A certain Morty O'Bryan having obtained from the ſubſcriber a judgment bond for twenty pounds, payable ſome time in June 1798, and whereas the ſaid O'Bryan has not fulfilled the contract for which ſaid note was given. I hereby forwarn all perſons from taking an aſſigment on ſaid note, as I am determined not to pay it, until he fulfils his agreement.

THOMAS MILLER.

Allegheny county, Deer townſhip,
February 1, 1798.

Whereas my huſband William Walter has left me ſince the firſt of April laſt, I take this method of informing the public that I will not pay any debts of his contracting from that date.

Feb 1, 1798. JULIET WALTER.

Will Diſſolve,

BY mutual conſent, on the firſt day of March next, the partnerſhip of James Horner & Co. Thoſe having demands againſt ſaid firm are requeſted to produce their accounts for ſettlement, and thoſe indebted to ſaid partnerſhip are ſolicited to diſcharge their accounts immediately, as no longer indulgence can be given.

Pittſburgh, January 24, 1798.

Was Found on the 30th of July laſt, by the ſubſcriber, living in Verſailles townſhip, Alleghany county, a Silver WATCH, about two miles from M'Kee's Port, near the great road leading from thence over the mountains. The owner may have it again by proving property and paying charges.

DAVID CRAWFORD.

January 15, 1798.

N. B. The Watch has been advertiſed in the neighbourhood ſince the day it was found.

Was taken up adrift in the Ohio, about four miles above George Town on the 16th inſt. one Flat, one Keel Boat, and four Canoes, two of them large pine, one aſh, and the other poplar. The owner is deſired to come, prove property, pay charges, and take them away.

CHARLES PHILLIS.

January 22, 1798.

Notice is hereby given to all thoſe indebted to the ſubſcriber to make immediate payment, and no one will blame him if his want of money was known to make remittance for his medicine and other demands, when he tells them that he ſhall put their accounts in a way of recovery, without diſcrimination, unleſs prevented by an immediate ſettlement.

SAMUEL ADAMS.

January 15, 1798.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

January 18.

Dr. Leib preſented a petition from Anthony Wright, praying compenſation for proving powder; which was read and referred.

Mr. Philſon preſented a petition from a number of the citizens of Lycoming county praying a new election diſtrict may be laid out, and that the place of holding the election may be in future at the town of Beula, which was read and referred.

Mr. Shnyder reported a bill to erect the town of Northumberland into a Borough, which was read and made the order of the day for this day fortnight.

Mr. Marſhall reported a bill ſupplementary to the act for extending the powers of the Commiſſioners of Huntingdon county, enabling them to aſſeſs and collect a further ſum for erecting the public buildings in the ſaid county which was read and made the order of the day for Friday week.

Mr. Brown made report in favour of the petition from the miniſter, Vestry, &c. of St. John's Church in the County of Cheſter which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Ball reported a bill enabling the Truſtees of the Univerſity of Pennſylvania to vacate the ſeats of ſuch of their members as do not attend at the meeting of their board, which was read and made the order of the day for Saturday week.

Mr. W. M'Clay reported a bill for granting a ſum of money to the Truſtees of the academy in Bucks County, which was read and made the order of the day for Tueſday next.

Mr. Marſhall reported a bill enabling the Commiſſioners of Huntingdon County, to compenſate Benjamin Elliot for certain ſervices, which was read and made the order of the day for Friday week.

Mr. Evans reported a bill on behalf of petitioners authoriſing them to raiſe by way of lottery five hundred dollars for erecting a ſchool houſe in the townſhip of New Hanover in the county of Montgomery which was read and made the order of the day for Wedneſday next.

Mr. Everley read a bill in his place for purchaſing and diſtributing the laws of the State and of the United States, which was made the order of the day for Monday next.

Mr. Bennett reported againſt the bills for ſelling the one half of the reſerved tracts adjoining Erie, Franklin, Warren, Waterford, and Beaver, and for authoriſing the Governor to appoint commiſſioners for ſelling the remaining half part of Beaver town lots.

Mr. Evans laid a reſolution on the table relative to the election of three bank directors.

Mr. Shnyder called up his reſolution for the appointment of a committee to enquire whether any or what alterations are neceſſary in the law for regulating hawkers and pedlars, which was agreed to.

Dr. Preſton offered a reſolution for the appointment of a committee to enquire into the laws relative to apprentices, which was read and ordered to lie on the table,

Mr. Carpenter laid a reſolution on the table for the appointment of a committee to conſider the propriety of erecting a poor houſe in the county of Lancaſter.

A Committee was appointed to join a committee of the Senate to viſit the Pennſylvania Hoſpital.

Mr. Wain reported a bill eſtabliſhing a ſyſtem of bankruptcy, which was read and made the order of the day for Tueſday week.

The bill to authorize the Governor to incorporate a company for erecting a permanent bridge over the river Schyulkill was read a ſecond time and agreed to.

The Houſe reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole on the bill to erect the town of Chambersburgh into a borough, Mr. Ball in the chair, which was agreed to.

Adjourned.

January 19.

Mr. Frailey preſented a petition from a number of the citizens of Berks county, praying that the juriſdiction of the courts of Common Pleas, Quarter ſeſſions, & Orphan's Court may be as heretofore placed in juſtices of the peace, which was read & referred to a committee appointed on the judiciary ſyſtem.

Mr. Whitehill preſented a petition from John Hazlewood, praying compenſation for certain ſervices rendered during the late war, which was read and referred.

Mr. Frailey preſented a petition from a number of the citizens of Berks county praying a ſum of money may be granted them to improve Tulpohocken road, which was read and referred to the committee on roads and inland navigation.

Mr. Campbell made a report in favour of the petition of Francis Johnſton, Receiver General of the land office.

The report of the committee appointed to try the conteſted election of Montgomery county, relative to the expences, was called up for a ſecond reading, and after ſome converſation, was poſtponed.

Mr. Kelly reported a bill to endow an academy in the borough of York, which was read and made the order of the day for this day fortnight.

The bill to provide for the erection of a houſe of employment in the County of Cheſter, was read a third time and paſſed.

The bill for erecting the town of Chambersburgh was read a ſecond time and recommitted.

The Houſe reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole on the bill to provide for defraying the expences incurred in ſurveying a tract of land for Complanter, a Seneca chief, Mr. Ball in the chair—this bill was agreed to with amendments.

Adjourned.

January 20.

Mr. Frailey preſented a petition from the commiſſioners appointed to raiſe 60,000 dollars by way of lottery for the erection of a ſtonebridge over the river Schuylkill near Reading praying a repeal of the law under which they were appointed and praying a law may be enacted authoriſing them to refund the money on the ſale of the tickets which they made, and that auditors may be appointed to ſettle their accounts which was read and referred.

Mr. Heron preſented a petition from a number of the citizens of Alleghany county praying that the northern parts of that county may be erected into a ſeparate county, which was read and referred.

Mr. W. Maclay, chairman of the committee to try the conteſted election for the County of Lycoming made report, that Jacob Shoemaker is not duly elected a member, but that Hugh White was duly elected and entitled to his ſeat.

The report went further & ſtated themiſconduct of Henry Shoemaker juſtice of the peace of the ſaid county, and offereded a reſolution to examine ſeveral witneſſes touching his miſconduct at the bar of the Houſe.

Mr. Hiltzheimer made a report in favour of the memorial praying leave to bring in a bill for erection of a ſtone bridge acroſs the river Delaware.

Mr. Linnard reported a bill for raiſing the ſum of 30,000 dollars to complete lower Dublin academy, which was read and made the order of the day for Monday week.

Mr. Watſon made report in favour of a diviſion of the county of Northampton

Mr. Bonnett made a report in favour of a new election diſtrict in Somerſet county.

The reſolution for the appointment of bank directors on the part of the houſe was read a ſecond time and Thurſday next was appointed for the election.

The reſolution of the committee to try the conteſted election of Lycoming was read a ſecond time.

A motion was made, that the Speaker iſſue proceſs to the witneſs to cauſe their attendance at the bar of the Houſe on Monday at 3 o'clock, and that Henry Shoemaker have notice given him of the time and place for ſuch examination.

The clerk of the ſenate preſented four bills for concurrence, viz. a bill to regulate the general elections throughout this commonwealth, a bill for the relief a Hannah Lewis, a bill to perpetuate the preſent penal laws of this ſtate, and a bill for extending the time for application for donation lands.

The bill for the appointment of a Truſtee in the county of Mifflin was read a third time and paſſed.

The report of the committee on the petition of Francis Mentges was called up for a ſecond reading and negatived.

Adjourned.

Congreſs

HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES.

Januray 18.

The following meſſage with the papers to which it refers, were received from the Preſident of the Unitd States:

Gentlemen of the Senate, and Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives,

"A repreſentation has been made to me by the Judge of the Pennſylvania Diſtrict of the United States, of certain inconveniences and diſagreeable circumſtances which have occured in the execution of the law paſſed on the 28th of May 1796, entitled, "An act for the relief of Perſons impriſoned for debt," as well of certain doubts which have been raiſed concerning its conſtructiour. This repreſentation, together with a report of the Attorney General on the ſame ſubject I now tranſmit to Congreſs for their conſideration, that if any amendments or explanations of that law ſhould be thought adviſable, they may be adopted.

JOHN ADAMS."

United States, }
January 18th 1798. }

This meſſage with the papers accompanying it, were refered to the ſame committee of the whole, to whom was referred the report on the petition of William Bell.

On motion of mr. Harper, the houſe reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole on the bill providing the means of intercourſe between the United States and Foreign nations, mr. Dent in the chair; when the bill having been read, and Mr. Harper having declared with what ſums it was propoſed to fill the blanks, Mr. Nicholas, after a ſpeech of conſiderable length in which he dwelt upon the evils which had been, and which were likely to be produced by an extenſion of our foreign diplomatic intercourſe propoſed ſeveral amendments to the bill, the effect of which he profeſſed to be, to reſtore the buſineſs of foreign intercourſe to the ſame footing on which it ſtood in 1796, before the extenſion took place.

A long debate enſued. The ſpeakers in favour of the motion were Meſſrs. Nicholas, Gallatin, and Baldwin; againſt it, Meſſrs. Harper, Allen, and Sitgreaves. The committee roſe without taking a queſtion, and obtained leave to ſit again.

Adjourned.

January 19.

Mr. Macon preſented a petition from Levy Tyſel, a captain in the Georgia line, praying for compenſation.—Refered to a committee of claims.

Mr. D. Foſter reported a bill for the relief of William Alexander, which was twice read and committed for Monday.

The houſe then again reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole on the unfiniſhed buſineſs of yeſterday, which occupied the whole ſiting. Mr. Pinckney opened the debate. He was againſt the amendment at this time, though in favor, at a proper opportunity, of reducing our diplomatic intercourſe. The motion was alſo oppoſed by Meſſrs. N. Smith, Harper, and Dana; and ſupported by Meſſrs. Livingſton and Gallatin. The committee roſe, without taking a queſtion, and obtained leave to ſit again.

Adjourned to Monday.

January 22.

Mr. D. Foſter, from the Committee appointed on the ſubject of W. Blount's conſpiracy, reported two letters which had been received by the committee; one from the Chevalier de'Yrujo, denying that he had at any time given or promiſed any money, or other reward to John Phillips Ripley as ſtated in the depoſition of Abraham Holden; he acknow'edges that whilſt he was in New-York, that Ripley was arreſted for debt, and that from his having ſpoken well of his character to mr. Stoughton, the Spaniſh Conſul there, that gentleman became bail for him. The letter from mr. Ripley is confirmative of this ſtatement.—Both were ordered to be printed.

The Preſident of the United States informed the houſe, by meſſage, that he had approved and ſigned an act for the relief of John Frank.

The houſe again reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole on the bill providing the means of Foreign Intercourſe; when mr. Nicholas's amendment being under conſideration, Meſſrs. Griſwold, Bayard and Dennis ſpoke in oppoſition to it and mr. Brent in its ſupport. No queſtion was taken, and the committee had leave to ſit again.

January 23.

Mr. Sitgreaves moved that the committee of the whole, to whom had been refered the meſſage of the Preſident of the U. States, & the report of the Attorney-general, relative to the law for the relief of perſons impriſoned for debt, be diſcharged from the further conſideration of them, in order that they might be referred to a ſelect committee which he ſhould move to be appointed, to enquire whether any and what alterations are neceſſary in that law—both motions were agreed to and a committee of three appointed.

A meſſage was received from the Preſident of the United States, incloſing a long report from the ſecretary of ſtate, and ſundry documents therein referred to, on the ſubject of the diſpute with the Spaniards at the Natchez, which were read and ordered to be printed.

A meſſage was received from the ſenate informing the houſe that they had paſſed the bill to amend the ſeveral acts for laying a duty on ſpirits and on ſtills, with amendments; and that the Preſident had approved and ſigned the act for compenſating their door-keepers.

Mr. Harper, from the committee of ways and means, reported a bill making appropriations for the ſervice of the year 1798, which was twice read and committed.

The ſpeaker laid before the houſe a communication from the war office, containing a liſt of penſion applicants, whoſe caſes had been re-examined.—Refered to a committee of claims.

The houſe again reſolved itſelf into a committee of the whole on the bill providing the means of foreign intercourſe; when mr. Nicholas's amendment being under conſideration, mr. Findley ſpoke in favor of it, and mr. Iſaac Parker againſt it. The committee had leave to ſit again.

Adjourned.

January 25.

The ſpeaker laid before the houſe, a report from the ſecretary of the treaſury, in purſuance of a reſolution of the houſe of the 21 February laſt, with a plan for regulating the duties on impoſts and tonnage, which was referred to the committee of commerce and manufactures.

On motion of mr. W. C. Claiborne, the unfiniſhed buſineſs of yeſterday was poſtponed, and the houſe went into a committee of the whole on the report of a ſelect committee on the memorial of the legiſlature of Tenneſſee, together with the meſſage of the Preſident relative to that ſubject, mr. Kittera in the chair; when the reſolution reported by the committee having been firſt negatived the committee paſſed that formerly introduced by mr. Macon, firſt filling up the blank with the amount of the eſtimate ſent to the houſe by order of the Preſident, viz. with 25,830 doll's. for the purpoſe of holding a treaty with the Indians. The committee then roſe, and the houſe being reſumed, mr. Macon moved to poſtpone the conſideration of the diſagreement of the committee of the whole to the report of the ſelect committee, which contemplated, in addition to the treaty, ſome relief being afforded to the perſons who had been driven off their lands, to the ſecond Monday in February: which motion being carried, the reſolution agreed to by the committee of the whole, was concured by the houſe, & a committee appointed to bring in a bill accordingly.

A meſſage was received from the Senate, informing the houſe, that they had paſſed the the bill for placing certain perſons on the penſion liſt, with amendments. The houſe took them up, and refered them and the bill to the committee of claims.

Mr. Sitgreaves, from the committee appointd to prepare articles of impeachment againſt William Blount, reported the ſaid articles. They were five in number. The firſt charged the ſaid William Blount, with intending to carry into effect an hoſtile expedition in favour of the Engliſh againſt the Spaniſh poſſeſſions of Louſiianna and Florida; the ſecond with attempts to engage the Creek and Cherokee Indians in the ſaid expedition; the third, with having alienated the affections of the ſaid Indians from Ben. Hawkins, an agent of the United States amongſt the Indians, the better to anſwer his ſaid purpoſes; the fourth, with having ſeduced James Carey an interpreter of the United States among the Indians, for the purpoſe of aſſiſting in his criminal intentions; and the fifth, with having attempted to diminiſh the confidence of the Cherokee Indians in relation to the boundary line, which has been run in conſequence of the treaty which had been held betwixt the United States and the ſaid Indians. This reſolution was committed for Monday.

The houſe then again reſoved itſelf into a committee of the whole, on the bill providing the means of intercourſe with foreign nations; when the amendment which has for ſeveral days been under conſideration, having been read, no gentleman riſing, the chairman was about to put the queſtion upon it—when

Mr. Nichols roſe and began a ſpeech which took up the remainder of the ſitting.

By Authority.

FIFTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:
AT THE SECOND SESSION,
Begun and held at the City of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennſylvania, on Monday the thirteenth of November, one thouſand ſeven hondred and ninety-ſeven.

AN ACT

Making certain partial appropriations for the year one thouſand ſeven hundred ninety-eight.

Sec. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and Houſe of Repreſentatives of the United States of America, in Congreſs aſſembled, That the ſum of one hundred thouſand dollars ſhall be, and the ſame hereby is appriated towards defraying the expences during the year one thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-eight, of the Quarter-maſter's, and Indian Departments, of the defenſive protection of the frontiers, of bounties, and of the contingent charges of the War Department; and a like ſum towards defraying the expences during the ſaid year, of the ſubſiſtence during the ſaid year, of the ſubſiſtence of the officers, non-commiſſioned officers and privates of the army of the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the ſum of fifty-two thouſand dollars be, and the ſame hereby is appropriated for paying and diſcharging ſuch awards as have been, or may be made purſuant to the ſeventh article of the Treaty of Amity, Commerce, and Navigation between the United States and G. Britain, in favour of Britiſh ſubjects, whoſe property has been captured within the juriſdiction of the United States, and by veſſels armed or fitted out therein.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the aforeſaid ſums ſhall be paid and diſcharged out of any monies in the Treaſury of the United States, not otherwiſe appropriated.

JONATHAN DAYTON,
Speaker of the Houſe of Repreſentatives.
TH: JEFFERSON,
Vice Preſident of the United States, and Preſident of the Senate.

Approved, Jan. 15, 1798.
JOHN ADAMS,
Preſident of the United States.

AMERICAN NAVAL AFFAIRS.

State of the Frigates, taken from the report of the Secretary of War.

UNITED STATES.

The progreſs of fitting the United States for ſea during the ſummer, led me to hope that ſhe would have been complete for ſervice ſome time in autumn; meaſures were therefore taken to equip her in the moſt expeditious manner that the nature of the ſervice would admit. Several of the officers were appointed, and ſome part of the crew actually enliſted: the baliaſt and water caſks were got on board and ſtowed, and the riggers had nearly completed the rigging, when unfortunately all farther progreſs was impeded by the contagious fever attacking ſeveral of the officers & crew that were on board, ſeveral of the tradeſmen employed in the equipment were alſo, from the ſame cauſe, prevented from attending to their reſpective occupations, until the latter end of October, when it was found to be too late in the ſeaſon to get the ſhip in complete order to meet a winter at ſea.

CONSTITUTION.

The Conſtitution was launched at Boſton on the 21ſt of October laſt, ſince which time the various artificers have been employed in finiſhing the hull; and that the ſtore rooms, &c. in the interior of the veſſel—all the lower maſts are in their places, and the riggers employed in rigging them. This ſhip will be ready in a ſhort time to receive her officers and crew, and conſequently fit for ſervice in the enſuing ſpring.

CONSTELLATION.

The Conſtellation was launched at Baltimore on the 7th of September, and has been ſo far completed as to be now ready to leave the Patapſco to receive her ſtores, officers & crew; ſhe therefore may be ſent to ſea at a very ſhort notice.

The Secretary of the Treaſury, ſtates in a report to Congreſs,

That the revenue cutter on the Virginia ſtation is a new and complete veſſel, and has been armed with ſix pounders on the main deck, and four four pound howitzers in the cabin; the number of officers and men at preſent employed do not exceed what are neceſſary for the ordinary ſervice of protecting the revenue; but if circumſtances ſhall ariſe to render an increaſe of force expedient, an additional number of men will be engaged with reference to the emergency.

The cutter ſtationed at and near the Bay of Delaware is a new and complete veſſel, ſufficient to carry eight four pounders:—this veſſel will be armed as ſoon as ſuitable cannon can be procured.

It is believed that none of the other cutters can be armed with any proſpect of advantage—ſome of them are wore out, others require expenſive repairs. The fund originally allowed for building ten cutters, was ſo moderate, that none but ſmall light veſſels could be procured within the terms preſcribed by law. Meaſures are in train for procuring a ſufficient number of cannon; when it ſhall be aſcertained that theſe meaſures are effectual, of which there is at preſent but little doubt, other and more ſufficient veſſels will be built or purchaſed in lieu of ſuch as have become unfit for ſervice.

In the Senate of the United States, January the 17th, 1798, a motion was made as followeth:

Reſolved, That a committee be appointed to enquire whether any, and what territory lying on the ſouthward and weſtward of the State of Georgia belongs to the United States, and report a plan for governing the ſame, and that ſaid committee be empowered to report by bill otherwiſe.

Foreign Intelligence.

LONDON, November 3.

Admiral de Winter has expreſſed a ſtrong deſire to return to Holland. It is his earneſt wiſh that he may be ſuffered to return to his country, if it were only for the ſingle purpoſe of impeaching his quondam friend, Admiral Storey, of the double crime of falſehood and cowardice; and this he has pledged himſelf to do at the hazard of his life.

Louis XVIII. has ſet out for Peterſburg taken with him 100 ſelect men as his body guard; in caſe he accepts the eſtabliſhment offered by Ruſſia, they are then to wear the Ruſſian uniform.

November 12.

His Majeſty, on the firſt interview with Lord Duncan and Captain Fairfax, expreſſed ſome anxiety to know how long they had been ſhipmates:—The venerable Admiral replied "I am aſhamed to tell your Majeſty how long" Captain Fairfax obſerved, he had had that diſtinguiſhed honor and happineſs for the ſpace of ſeven and forty years.

A reduction is immediately to take place in the military eſtabliſhment of this kingdom notwithſtanding the threats of our Gallic neighbours.

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American Intelligence.

ALEXANDRIA, Jan. 18.

A bill is before the legiſlature by which it is contemplated to tax a wholeſale merchant ſelling 2,000 pounds worth of goods annually 108l. merchants ſelling more than 3000l. and not exceeding 20,000 pounds worth in the ſame proportion. Retailers who ſell 3,000l. worth to pay 6l. and all who ſell leſs than 3,000 worth to pay 4l. The evidence be required of the merchant as to the amount ſold, is his own oath.

A bill is pending before the legiſlature for the more effectual reſtraining of gambling.—

By this bill all gaming tables in the ſtate to be burn on the 9th of next March. After that time if any money is ſtaked as a bett, any of the bye ſtanders are at liberty to ſnatch it, and if the original poſſeſſor or any other perſon attempts to deprive him of the poſſeſſion of it, he is to be puniſhed by fine and impriſonment.

January 19.

We hear, that as by the treaty with G. Britain, individuals are liable for the debts contracted with Britiſh merchants prior to the revolution, the legiſlature of Virginia contemplate raiſing a revenue the enſuing year for the purpoſe of repaying to Britiſh debtors the ſums they paid into the Treaſury during the revolution. As the money paid into the Treaſury, was depreciated paper currency, it is propoſed to give them in ſpecie the real value of the ſum at time depoſited.

PHILADELPHIA, January 25.

A gentlemen who left Norfolk on the 18th inſt. and arrived in town yeſterday, ſays, that a veſſel arrived there in 45 days from Bourdeaux, the news by which was to have been publiſhed on the morning of his departure; but that he waited at the printing office for one of the papers, without obtaining one, until he was obliged to go on board the packet. He was informed that the commiſſioners had been refuſed, and that affairs with this country appeared ſo alarming, that the American veſſels were hurrying away, and that many ſailed in company with this veſſel. There was alſo an arrival from Havre with ſimilar intelligence.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 10.

We are informed, that a Boat yard is now erecting at this place by order of government, and capable hands employed for building large boats to carry one 24 pounder each. We have not heard for what ſervice they are intended, but think it high time, that ſome ſhew, at leaſt, of defence ſhould be made, or we ſhall ſoon be trampled on by the Spaniards, as well as by our beloved ALLIES.

The Judges of the Supreme court of Pennſylvania, have appointed the following courts of Niſi Prius to be held:

For Philadelphia county, on the 12th, 13th 14th, and 15th February—11th, 12th 13th 14th, 15th and 16th March, for trials by ſpecial jury.

And by Chief Juſtice M'Kean and Judge Smith.

In Franklin county,	on Monday	16th April
Somerſet do.	Wedneſday	25th do.
Weſtmoreland	Mon.	30th do.
Allegheny do.	do.	7th May
Waſhington do.	do.	14th do.
Fayette do.	do.	21ſt do.
Bedford do.	do.	28th do.

By Judges Shippen and Yeates,

In Lancaſter county,	on Monday	9th April [1ſt Period
Do	Monday,	15th April, 2d do.
York do.	do.	23d do.
Cumberland	do	7th do.
Huntingdon	do.	7th May
Mifflin	do.	14th do.
Northumberland	do.	do. 21ſt do

Weſtmoreland County, ſſ.

Liſt of cauſes for trial at March Term 1798.

John Gibſon	vs Chriſtopher Hays
Leſſee of N. Marſhall	vs Hugh Neelly
Wm. Lochry al.	vs Iſabl. Waddle al.
William Neel	vs Bazel Neelly
Henry Sweyer for	vs Jacob Campble
James Chambers	vs James M'Keſſock
Henry Clever	vs John Griffith
H. Miſler ſupervr. &c	vs Wm. Raney
Jos. Alexander aſſee.	vs Robert Taylor
Leſſee of R. Hunter	vs Andrew Beans
George Henry	vs Samuel Moorehead
Abraham Loſe	vs Abraham Parker al.
Leſſee of Adw. Neilſon	vs Joſeph Neilſon
Alexander Beans	vs Samuel Phips
Leſſee of James Clark	vs David Shearer
Lee of G. Wright	vs George Painter
George Snearly	vs Oliver M'Elduff
Jennet Brownlee	vs John Guthrie al.
Leſſe of J. Denniſton	vs Terence Campbell
Leſſee of John Conrod	vs Malcom M'Henry
Bartel Laffer	vs R. Taylor
Simon Drum, Admr.	vs Jacob Truby
Robert Cogley	vs Michael Schall
Edward Quin	vs Hugh Beans
J. Denniſton aſſe. &c	vs Alex. Denniſton
Martin Rain	vs Simon Drum Admr.
A. Albright & Co.	vs Same
John Shields	vs James Ayres
Robert Dickey	vs Alexander M'Kinney
Richard Williams	vs J. M. St. Clair
Caſper Eaſly	vs Anthony Earhart
John Wallace	vs Wm. Moorehead
Jas Guthrie Regiſter	vs Terence Campbell
Samuel Boyd	vs Joſeph Poſey
James Gibſon	vs Jas Graham al.
Same	vs Same
Same	vs Same
Thomas Greer	vs Patrick Cowan al.
James Gibſon	vs James Graham al.
Bartel Laffer for &c.	vs Andrew Reirigh al.
Hugh M,Elroy	vs George Grouſhour
J. Collins dec. admr	vs Wm. M'Kinly al.
Henry Trout for &c	vs Joſeph Cook
Samuel Beer	vs Abrm. Loſe al.
John Shoffer	vs Andrew Reirigh al.
Charles Bovard aſſee	vs Hugh Kerr
Philip Gonawer	vs Abrahamm Loſe
Wm. Hamilton for	vs James Moore al.
John Denniſton	vs Wm. Hamilton
Meeker Cochran & co	vs Joſeph Cook al.
James Hamilton	vs Conrod Harman
James Ray	vs John Parker
Jas Johnſton appelant	vs John Larimore

Sheriff's Sales.

BY virtue of ſundry writs of venditioni exponas iſſued out of the Supreme Court of Philadelphia, and to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale on Tueſday the 6th day of March next, at the Court Houſe in the Borough of Pittſburgh, Five Tracts of Land, containing together 1591 acres, be the ſame more or leſs, ſituate on the waters of the Allegheny river.

Alſo, a body of Land containing 90,000 acres, be the ſame more or leſs, ſituate and adjoining the Allegheny river, in Cunningham's diſtrict, ſurveyed in purſuance of 311 warrants, bearing date the 4th day of March 1793. Taken in execution as the property of Robert Morris, Eſq. at the ſuit of George Weſtcot.

Alſo, 10,104 acres and an half of Land, be the ſame more or leſs, ſituate and adjoining the weſtern boundary of the ſtate of Pennſylvania, in the third diſtrict of Donation Land—alſo, 5227 acres of Land be the ſame more or leſs, beginning at the diviſion line of the ſecond and third diſtricts of depreciation land—alſo, 31.8 acres of land, be the ſame more or leſs, ſituate on the waters of French creek—alſo, one Lot in the town of M'Intoſh, at the mouth of Big Beaver creek, and one out lot adjoining to ſaid town. Taken in execution as the property of John Nicholſon, Eſq, at the ſuit of George Weſtcot.

By irtue of ſundry writs of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale on Tueſday the 6th day of March next, at the Court Houſe in the Borough of Pittſburgh, Lot No. 8 and 26. ſituate in Middle town, on the Ohio. Taken in execution as the property of William Cheney, at the ſuit of George Bruce and others.

Alſo, 300 acres of Land, be the ſame more or leſs, ſituate in Pitt townſhip, adjoining lands of Jacob Burkhart and others. Taken in execution as the property of Abdiel M'Clure, at the ſuit of Adgate & Co.

By virtue of a writ of levari facias to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale on Tueſday the 6th day of March next, at the Court Houſe in the Borough of Pittſburgh, a Tract of Land containing 30 acres, be the ſame more or leſs, ſituate in Elizabeth townſhip, adjoining lands of Henry Leming on the weſt, Robert Craighead on the north, Philip Smith on the ſouth, and by the great road leading from Elizabeth town to Captain Patterſon's. Taken in execution as the property of Henry Stephens at the ſuit of Hezekiah Douthwit.

All the above deſcribed property taken in execution and to be ſold by me

James Sample, ſheriff.

February 8, 1798.

Giffin and Thorn,

CABINET MAKERS.

MOST reſpectfully informs their cuſtomers and the public in general, that they carry on the above Buſineſs in its various branches, and in the neateſt and moſt faſhionable manner, in the ſhop formerly occupied by Robert Giffin, in Wood ſtreet, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

They flatter themſelves, as they have now on hand a large aſſortment of imported wood, and of the fineſt colours, that they will pleaſe thoſe who favour them with their cuſtom. Country produce will be taken in payment.

Pittſburgh, February 8, 1798.

THE ſubſcriber, lately from Carliſle, and now living at the north end of Canonſburgh, reſpectfully informs his neighbours and the public, that he follows weaving

Coverlids, Diaper & Carpets

in a great variety of figures. Particular attention will be paid to the buſineſs, by their humble ſervant.

THOMAS BRICELAND.

February 6, 1798.

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The terms for any of the above be moderate, particularly to perſo take a large body. The whole will in tracts ſo reaſonably ſmall as may a modate purchaſers. Perſons inclinin purchaſe may receive the neceſſary info tion by applying to the ſubſcriber at M Thomas Edginton's, lower end of Holiday Cove—when not there at Wheelen.

DANIEL M'ELHERAN.

February 5, 1798.

To be Sold at Private Sale.

THREE ſeveral Out Lots of the Reſerve of Beaver, advantageouſly ſituated on the bank of the Ohio river, No. 47, 48 and 57, containing upwards of 19 acres. Any perſon deſirous to purchaſe may apply to JOHN SMALL, in the town of Beaver, or to MOSES FORD, on Big Beaver creek, who will make the terms known.

February 6, 1798.

To be Sold at Public Sale.

ON Tueſday the 27th day of February next, on the premiſes, about 130 acres of Land lying in Waſhington county, Strabane townſhip, four miles from Waſhington, two miles from M'Millan's meeting houſe, adjoining lands of Thomas Hamilton Eſq. and others; the land is of a good quality, about 20 acres cleared. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may ſee the land by applying to James Bleakley on the premiſes.

Likewiſe, will be expoſed to Public Sale on Thurſday the firſt day of March next, a Tract of improved Land, of the firſt quality lying in Allegheny county, four miles from Pittſburgh, near M'Dowell's mills, adjoining lands of James Hamilton, John Wilſon, and others. Any perſon deſirous of purchaſing may ſee the land by applying to James Linn on the premiſes—a good title will be given for the whole. The ſale to begin at ten o'clock, A. M. on each day; where due attendance and reaſonable credit will be given by

JAMES LAUGHLEN, JOHN STEUART, & JAMES LINN, SAMUEL POLLOCK, jun.

Propoſals for carrying Mails

on the following Route, will be received at this Office until the firſt day of March next, inclusive.

FROM Pittſburgh by Canonſburgh, Waſhington, Weſt Liberty, Whelen, and Charleſtown in Brooke county, to Marietta, once a week. Receive the mail at Pittſburgh every Friday at 9 A. M and deliver it at Marietta on Thurſday by 9 A. M.

RETURNING.

Receive the mail at Marietta on Saturday by 6 A. M. and deliver it at Pittſburgh the next Thurſday by 7 P. M.

The times of arrival and departure may be altered by the Poſt Maſter General, he making a compenſation for any extra expence occaſioned thereby. The contract is to commence on the firſt of April next, and to continue in force for two years,

CHARLES BURRALL,
A. P. M. G.

General Poſt Office, Philadelphia
January 25, 1798.

ALL perſons indebted to the ſubſcribers are requeſted to make payment before the firſt of March, otherwiſe their accounts will be put into ſuit,

Robert & Nathan Gregg.

Pittſburgh, February 8, 1798.

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ANECDOTES.

A very young officer ſtriking an old grenadier of his company for ſome ſuppoſed fault in performing his evolutions, was unable to reach any higher than his legs. The grenadier on his infantine aſſault, gravely took off his cap, and holding it over the officer by the tip ſaid, "Sir, if you were not my officer I would extinguiſh you."

A ſea Captain having made ſome material blunders in his reckoning, and finding that he could not diſcover the latitude, walked about upon the deck in great deſpondence, wringing his hands, and crying in a pathetic tone, "Oh! If my dear wife knew where I am," "By J——s," ſaid a furly Tar, "I would much rather, ſir, that you knew yourſelf."

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, iſſued out of the Supreme Court, returnable to March Term next, at the ſuit of Samuel Watt vs Robert Morris, will be ſold by public Sale, at the houſe of Joſeph R. Poſtlethwait, innkeeper, in the Borough of Pittſburgh, on Wedneſday the 14th day of February next, at 12 of the clock in the forenoon, all the eſtate of the ſaid Robert Morris in three hundred and eleven tracts of land, held by warrants (under act of Aſſembly of April 3, 1792) deſcribed and ſet forth in a ſchedule to the ſaid writ annexed, containing in the whole, about one hundred two thouſand and ſeven acres, ſituate in Cunningham's old diſtrict of Depreciation Land north and weſt of the rivers Ohio and Allegheny and Conewango Creek, One hundred and ſixty ſeven of which ſaid tracts are ſubject to a contract with Dunning M'Nair, Eſquire.

JAMES SEMPLE, Sheriff.

Jan. 24, 1797.

Came to the Plantation of the Subſcriber, on little Seweckly in the month of September laſt, a brindle Cow, about ſix years old, no mark perceivable; the owner is deſired to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

JACOB GRENNEWALD.

January 29, 1798.

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Pittſburgh, January 4, 1798.

William Davis,

BOOT and SHOE MAKER,

MOST reſpectfully informs his friends and the public that he carries on the above buſineſs in its various branches, and in the neateſt and moſt faſhionable manner, in the houſe lately occupied by Capt. Alex. M'Nickle, in Second ſtreet, nearly oppoſite the ſign of General Waſhington. He flatters himſelf that by the ſuperior quality of his materials, his attention and punctuality, to merit the patronage of thoſe who may favor him with their commands.

Pittſburgh, December 22, 1797.

FURRS, for Sale.

THE ſubſcriber has juſt received a quantity of Furrs, viz. Beaver, Racoon and Wild Cat, which he will ſell reaſonable for cash. He has alſo for ſale a quantity of beſt Senecca Oil.

ADAM FUNK.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 22, 1797.

For Detroit,

The Sloop

RUSSEL,

NOW in the harbour of Preſqu'iſle, to ſail the firſt of April next. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or to Mr. William Beard, in the town of Erie

December 30, 1797.

TO BE SOLD AT PRIVATE SALE.

A Valuable weather boarded two ſtory Log Houſe and a Lot of Ground, ſituate in Water ſtreet in the town of Pittſburgh, marked in Col. Woods's plan of ſaid town No. 202, 60 feet in front, and in depth 160 feet, bounded north-weſtwardly by Front ſtreet, ſouth eaſtwardly by Grant ſtreet, ſouth-weſtwardly by Water ſtreet, and north weſtwardly by Lot No. 201; the dwelling Houſe is 25 feet front, and in depth 48 feet, compleatly lathed and plaiſtered, the lower room of which is very neatly finiſhed and painted; an excellent draw well near the front door. The whole lot, except ten feet, well enclоſed. The terms of ſale will be made known by the ſubſcriber living on the premiſes. *GASPER ABRAHAM.*

Pittſburgh, Auguſt 2, 1797.

THE partnerſhip of Iſaac Gregg and William Wuſthoff, trading under the firm of William Wuſthoff and Co. having expired by mutual conſent, all perſons indebted to ſaid firm are requeſted to make payment on or before the 25th inſt. to the ſubſcriber who is authoriſed to ſettle the accounts—thoſe who neglect will be ſued without reſpect to perſons.

ISAAC GREGG.

Pittſburgh, January 8, 1798.

James Anderſon,

SADDLER, HARNESS AND TRUNK MAKER.

HAS removed to Fourth ſtreet, three doors from Market ſtreet, where he continues to make and ſell for Caſh or Country Produce, on the loweſt terms, Ladies and Gentlemen's Saddles and Bridles of all kinds, together with Saddle Bags, Plow and Waggon Harneſs, Trunks for traveling or packing.

One or two Journeymen, wanted, to whom conſtant employment will be given.

Pittsburgh, October 7, 1797.

To be Sold at Private Sale.

A TWO Story Brick Houſe and Black ſmith ſhop, completely finiſhed, together with a ſhare in a well, and lot of ground, fronting the public ſquare in the borough of Pittſburgh. Reaſonable credit will be given for part of the purchaſe money. Apply on the premiſes to

GEORGE M'GUNNEGLE.

November 14, 1797.

Patented Farm for Sale

THE ſubſcriber will ſell a valuable Plantation, containing 320 acres, ſituate about two miles from Pittſburgh, extending nearly a mile on the bank of the Monongahela, and on the great road to Philadelphia. He has mowed for ſeveral years about 20 acres of excellent meadow, and 40 acres more may be eaſily made. The upland is of a ſuperior quality, of which there are 40 acres cleared—the whole well timbered and abounding in excellent ſprings. From its contiguity to Pittſburgh market, and the advantage of water carriage, it will be an object worthy the attention of an induſtrious farmer. About four hundred pounds in caſh will be demanded—the payment of the balance will be made eaſy and convenient to the purchaſer.

SAMUEL SAMPLE.

Pittſburgh, Dec. 26, 1797. tf.

Clapboard and hingle Nails,

FOR SALE,

Wholeſale and Retail, by

ROBERT WILLIAMS.

Greenſburgh, Dec. 13, 1797.

William Steele,

Has juſt received a freſh ſupply of

MERCHANDIZE,

which he continues to ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms.

Pittſburgh, January 3, 1798.

THOMAS GREGG,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friend and the Public, that his INN, the ſign of the *INDIAN QUEEN*, formerly occupied by Mr. Andrew Watſon, near the corner of Market and Front Streets, is open for their reception.

Pittſburgh, December 1, 1797.

FOR SALE,

At the Store lately occupied by ADAM FUNK.

BEST London ſuperfine broadcloths
Refine ditto
Caſſimers, ſwanſdown and thickſets
Flannels, coating and kerſeys
Book and jaconet muſlins
Fine chintzes, callicoes and ſhawls
Bandano and black ſilk handkerchiefs
Coarſe India muſlin and callicoes
Iriſh linens and checks
Mens' and womens' ſhoes, &c.
Alſo Two Quarter Caſks beſt Sherry wine

Which will be diſpoſed of on reaſonable terms, wholeſale and retail, for caſh, beeſwax or good deer ſkins.

tf *JAMES HOGG.*

Pittſburgh, 1ſt month, 18th, 1798.

ALL perſons indebted to the ſubſcriber are requeſted to come and pay off their reſpective balances before the firſt of March next, as he intends leaving this place.—Thoſe who neglect this notice muſt expect to have their accounts put into ſuit immediately.

WALTER CLARK.

Pittſburgh, January 17, 1798.

Wholeſale and Retail Store.

The ſubſcriber has juſt received and is now opening a large and general aſſortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

which he will ſell on moderate terms by Wholeſale and Retail.

JOHN IRWIN.

Pittſburgh, January 18, 1798.

N. B. Thoſe indebted to him by bond, note or book account, are required to make immediate payment as no longer indulgence will be given.

The following Blanks may be had at the Printing Office.

Declarations of Ejectment,
Apprentices Indentures,
Judgment & common Bonds,
Juſtices Summonſes and Executions.

Liſt of Letters remaining in the Poſt Office Greenſburgh, January 1, 1798.

ABRAHAM Anderſon, William Anderſon, Jacob Burleigh, George Brindinger, Jacob Bergey, James Boal, Samuel Bridin, Iſaac Byruth, Robert Cunningham, John Cannon, John Donaldſon, Iſaiah Davis, Nicholas Day, Ephraim Evans, George Foſter, John Fridley, John Guthrie, John Henderſon, James Henderſon, John and Thomas Hughes, James Hynman, James or William Hill, Aſa Hill, Thomas Hamilton, Widow Hanſcale, Daniel Hanlon, John Hindman, Samuel Hamilton, James Irvine, jun. Samuel W. Jervis, Thomas Leech, Michael Law, Andrew Luckey, John Moore, James Moorland, Samuel M'Gowan, Geo. M'Clelland, Richard M'Ilvaine, Manus and Michael M'Cloſky, Manus M'Cloſky, Colin M'Laughlin, John Morris, Mathew M'Cowry, Robert M'Curdy, Abner M'Mann, Peter M'Harg, William Moorland, Dan. M'Mullen, Robert M'Farlane, John M'Queſton, James Stewart, meſſrs. S. & C. Trevor, Nickeyey Walker, Mary Wilſon, Robert Sample, Elijah Smith, William Snodgrais, Chriſtian Rodebauch, Daniel Rankin, Alexander Robiſon, William Robinſon, Samuel Robeſon, John Young.

THE partnerſhip of John Cunningham & John Killen, trading under the firm of John Killen & Co. is diſſolved this day by mutual conſent—all perſons indebted to ſaid firm are requeſted to make payment to the ſubſcriber (or his aſſiſtat Alex. Edwards) on or before the firſt day of March next, otherwiſe the moſt effectual means will be uſed for their recovery.

The ſubſcriber continues to do buſineſs as uſual, at his ſtore in Market ſtreet three doors from the corner of Fourth ſtreet.

JOHN CUNNINGHAM.

Pittſburgh, Dec. 22, 1797.

NOTICE,

IS hereby given, that my wife Mary Campbell having without any kind of provocation abſented herſelf from my bed and board, and from numerous circumſtances I have reaſon to believe that ſhe never intends to return to the duties of a wife again, I do therefore forwarn all perſons from giving her any credit on my account, as I am determined to pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

PATRICK CAMPBELL.

Little Sawickly, Weſtmoreland county, January 16, 1798

A Loſt Son.

SOMETIME in May, 1793, DAVIS BILLS a lad in the 18th year of his age, left his guardian in Newfield, State of Vermont, and by what he ſaid to his mates before he went away, he was uneaſy with his guardian, and intended to keep out of his way, till he was of age; that he had thought either of going to ſea, or to the eaſtern parts of the United States. But as almoſt one year has expired ſince he has been of age (if living) and no intelligence has ever been gained of the lad ſince he went away, the diſconſolate mother is anxious to gain information of her ſon, if poſſible, as ſhe has been bereaved of her huſband and three children, with this one, and but one left to condole with her in her afflictions. The lad was active and ſprightly, of middling ſtature, dark complexion, with brown hair and eyes.

AMOS E. STILLMAN,
in behalf of the Parent.

☞ The afflicted mother aſketh the favors of the printers in the United States to publiſh this requeſt in their newſpapers, and hope that ſympathy will reward them.]

Cheſterfield, Dec. 1, 1787.

Pennſylvania Population Company.

At an Annual Meeting of the Shareholders, the following Gentlemen were declared duly elected for the enſuing year, viz.

Preſident.—John Field.

Managers—Theophilus Cazenove,
William Cramond,
Paul Buſti,
Henry Philips,
Samuel Sterett,
James Gibſon.

Treaſurer & Sec'y.—Solomon Marache.

Philadelphia, January 10, 1798. 8t.

Hemp Wanted.

A GENEROUS price will be given by the ſubſcribers for found, clean HEMP, at the Rope-walk in Pittſburgh, where Ropes of all kinds may be had.

IRWIN & M'LEOD.

Auguſt 18, 1797.